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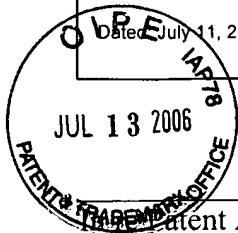
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METHOD FOR TREATMENT OF  
NEURODEGENERATIVE DISEASE

Examiner: S. Standley

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**INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS**

This is in response to the final Office Action dated May 16, 2006, for which a response is due on August 16, 2006. This response is filed within two months of the issuance of the final Office Action and therefore qualifies for expedited review. Accordingly, this response is timely filed. Reconsideration and allowance of the pending claims, as amended, in light of the remarks presented herein are respectfully requested.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

**Remarks/Arguments** begin on page 4 of this paper.

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